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- 11. (SBU) Pol-Econ Chief delivered reftel points to MFA Western Countries Director Kanat Tursunkulov on June 2. Tursunkulov noted that Ministry had our previous demarches in support of Ambassador Swing's candidacy, and he said that the Ministry would consider our latest points.
- 12. (SBU) On June 5, MFA Department of International Organizations and Security Affairs' Marat Moldaliyev told Poloff that Ambassador Swing's candidacy is still being considered closely. He said that a diplomatic note would be sent to the Embassy before the June 18 election, stating Kyrgyzstan's final position.

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